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STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State/Territory: Kentucky

ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

Process for the Investigation of Allegations of Resident Neglect
and Abuse and Misappropriation of Resident Property

The State has in effect the following process for the receipt and timely review and investigation of allegations of neglect and abuse and misappropriation of resident property by a nurse aide or a resident in a nursing facility or by another individual used by the facility in providing services to such a resident.

All allegations of abuse, neglect and misappropriation of resident property are immediately investigated by Division of Licensing and Regulation and Department for Social Services in a joint effort. During this investigation the accused individual is advised of the alleged incident. Prior to a final determination of substantiation the accused individual is afforded the opportunity to appeal. All substantiated investigations are subject to the appropriate appeal process. Substantiated cases of Nurse Aide abuse, neglect and/or misappropriation are entered on a centralized registry maintained by the State Survey Agency. The accused individual and all appropriate authorities are notified of the final determination and action taken.

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